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SUBJECT: F-5S FOR YEMEN

REF: SANA 3407

WE HAVE NOT HAD ANY EXCHANGES WITH THE SAG ON THE F-5 FOR YEMEN SINCE THE TURNOVER OF THE B AND D DATA AND GENERAL FISH'S TRIP TO SAUDI ARABIA IN JUNE. WHAT IS INVOLVED IS A SAUDI POLITICAL DECISION WHETHER OR NOT TO ENHANCE THE MILITARY CAPABILITY OF YEMEN THROUGH THE PROCUREMENT OF F-5S WHILE AL-HAMDI CONTINUES TO RECEIVE GOODS AND ADVICE FROM THE SOVIETS. WE UNDERSTAND THAT, PENDING A SAUDI DECISION, USMTM IS ASSISTING THE SAUDI MILITARY AT THE WORKING LEVEL TO DEVELOP A PLAN FOR THE ORDERLY ABSORPTION OF THE PLANES INTO THE YEMEN AIR FORCE, INCLUDING TRAINING, SHOULD SULTAN GIVE THE OK. THE PROBLEM IS ONE OF SAUDI PERCEPTION OF YEMEN'S POLICY AND PROCLIVITIES, AND WE ARE AWAITING SAG DECISION. CHRISTOPHER

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